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These " deets" are picturesque, although for the most part of mushroom growth. They comprise, as a rule, one, two, or three steamers-seldom more-of small tonnage (1,000 to 5,000) and aucient construction, duting back into the tearly eighties and late seventies of the past century. The majority of these venorable scraft are British in origin, and prior to the war were probably sold as serup iron for next to nothing to some humble Norse merchant or port authority. Now, however, with the prevalent high freights these "dug-outs" are proving real gold. mines to the purchaser and to the enterprising war partner who has paid for the redecoration and new engine. In fact Norwegians of all plasses are investing their savings in old hulks.

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THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE FORTY-SEVENTH MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company's Offices, No. 3, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, on THURSDAY, 27th April. 1918, at 12 o'clock Noos for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December: 1915.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the Lith to the 37th April, both days inclusive.

the 27th April, both days inclusive. Ry Order of the Board of Directors.

C. PEMBERTON, Secretary. Hongkong, April 11, 1616,

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the China Traders' Insurance Company, Limited, will be held at the Head Office of the Company, No. 4, Connaught Road, Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 5th day of May, 1816, at Nove, when the subjoined Resolution which was passed as an Extraordinary Resolution at the Extra-ordin ry General Meeting of the said Company held on the 18th day of April. 1916 willabe submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution :---

That the name of the Companyabe "changed to the "British Traders" " losurance Company, Lamited." Dated this 18th day of April, 1916.

By Order of the Board. C. MONTAGUE EDE, General Manager.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

FINAL DIVIDEND of TWENTY DOLLARS and a BONES of TEXT Dollars per Share for the year 1914 and an Interin Dividend of Thirty Dollars per Share for the year 1915 will be Payable on TUESDAY, the 18th instant. Warrants may be had on application at the Other of the Society on of after

that date. By Order of the Board, C. MONTAGUE, EDE, General Manager. Hongkong, April 48, 1916.

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Manager. Hongkong, March 30, 1916.

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J. O. REMEDIOS., How. Secretary. Hongkong, 20th April, 1916.

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By Order. T. F. HOUGH, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, April 15, 1916.

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By Order of THE COMMITTEE. Hongkong, April 11, 1916.

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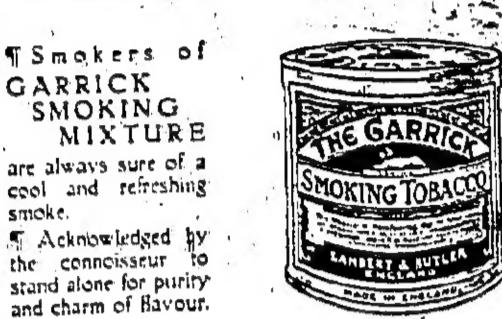
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14th, March, 1916. seven purcels of clothing just received through Messrs, Shewan, Fomes and Co. We are very glad to have these things. The price of all clothing has risen so much, and the price of all food so terribly, that our poor people find it very difficult indeed to feed and clothe their families .- Yours very gratefully,

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for all the things sent by the women of of any army of invasion, and to canalise Hongkong. Two of the cases got to the in the non-fortified intervals. home collecting for No. 10, and one built." rich shipping friend has sent so much that that Hospital for the present has as much as they require. I find the Hospitals in my area here are very badly off, however; some of them, like No. 27 have absolutely nothing, as everything was spoilt at Mudros. So I want to get them comforts to carry on with: One bux has been carried on home by the steamer, but I have written about it, and hope it will turn up later. It it does I will send you the letter from the Bosso as to let you know exactly where the have saved France; and that are now pital I send it to. I will always do that,

We have masses of troops here at present. . . The Hospitals all over Egypt are very empty at present, almost no wounded and very little sickness alwait. Two Hospitals in Alexandria, the 15th and 19th, get cases of wounds from the Western Front. That is from the Arab fighting, but, apart from these, most of the Hospitals have nothing, and, till fighting starts again, will have nothing to apeak of Captain Lambkin is still with No. 19 at Alexandria, Major McMorray [McMunn?], who was at Hongkong also, is with a stationary Hospital here at Port Said, but I don't know the number of it, and there was some talk of sending them to Hesopotamia. -- Yours very

sincerely,

(Enclosure.)

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not so long ago. " There are no longer any fortresses. concludes the former officer: "there are now only defensive organisations set in the line of the front." And General Verraux, discussing " the exact-strategical importance of Verdun." is nearly as uncompromising. "When the great fortresses called Verdun, Toul, Epinal, Belfort were built," he writes, "It was hoped, by drawing thither important GLASGOW: Messrs A. R. Brown, Hear Lady May, -- Ever so many thanks | enemy forces, to diminish the effectives

19th General Hospital at Alexandria "Our field armies, deployed within before I could divert them, and I enclose these intervals, would then give battle you letters from Lieut, Colonel Scott, in the best conditions. The utmost art R.A.M.C., who is in command now, to of the engineer was invoked to give these show you what he says about them As fortresses the capacity of the greatest soon as he told me they had arrived I I resistance. But it happened that the art wrote and asked him to send them to of the artilleryman surpassed that of the me here; to give to No. 27 General Hos-, engineer, and that these shells of concrete pital, that has just come over from and steel were powerless to resist the Mudros, and has nothing; but he had impact of 1805 and 1420 shells. In used some of the things, and will not, these conditions our strongholds could no part with the others. I had people at longer fulfil the role for which they were

BACK TO DAYS OF TCRAL CAIN. The enlargement of the effectives in play, which make easy the masking of even the largest fortified town, and the vastly increased power and accuracy of artillery, guided by aeroplanes and "exact maps, are the two great direct causes of the abolition of the old fortress and the unavowed declassing of isolated forts. But even important is the indirect influence of the rediscovery of the powerof the pick and spade. It is these that things have got to, and what they say going to make the completion of the task of the Allies more difficult.

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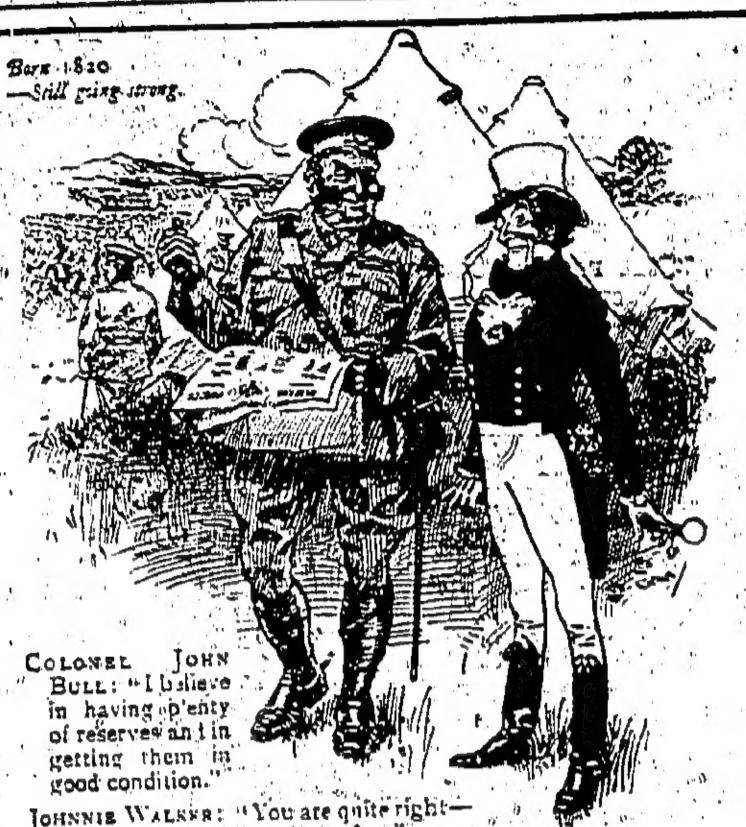
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shipping companies from blame for the negligence of their servants), numerous aspects of the case were before the United

States Courts. The claims altogether

were about E3,500,000, and the main

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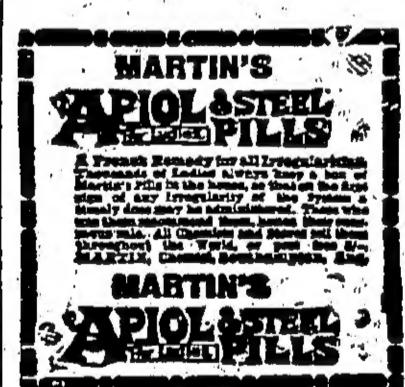
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Of all key industries, shipping is the master key," said Sir Kenneth Anderson, the retiring president, in his address at the annual meeting of the Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom in

Restriction of freights on privately. owned cargo was a policy of take and make-believe. More available toppage was the only effective cure for the present difficulty. Shipowners owed a great debt to Mr. Runciman for his courage and discernment in opposing plansible. panaceas which, would only have ended

in diseater. Mr. W. H. Raeburn, the new president, expressed a hope that the Government would recommend the King to create a special decoration for the mercuant service. The country, he said, had had a very economical service for the transportation of troops and supplies—the

cheapest transport ever known. He prophesied that after the war freights would still be high. At would take some: time before the Government could release all the vessels they had on charter, and there would be no sudden

agcession to our supply of tonnage. A resolution was carried welcoming the Government's steps to reduce the importof non-essentials, but deprecating any attempt by central control to dictate every movement of every British ship.

nothing of more important national interest than the protection of shipping. "We are taking a lot too many men than then. away from our offices, from commerce, and from "the shippards," he declared. "We have vessels now under construction, and we cannot go on with them

Everything is under control to-day. There centuries. must be some check put on them. ". There is one great essential we must always bear in mind, and I hope some-

thing will be done, by the Chamber to swaken the imagination of Parliament, because they do not really realise the great danger we are in of becoming short of tonnage. We are already short and we do not know where to find it. If the transport department requisition half a dozen ships up go the rates from 60s. to 90a. . " I wish we could create some public imagination to the great danger there is

The president interrupted by observing TH YOU have that constant itching

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that he did not think they need be in fear of a national disaster, but everything a shipowher said, and especially one such as Sir Walter Runeiman; was retailed to the enemy.

BRIDES FOR COLONIALS.

A novel suggestion was made at meeting of the Royal Statistical Society recently by Lord George Hamilton,

matedato them.

the war those born in the last 18 years both parents were fairly healthy it was Germany. immoral and unpatriotic to limit the size of the family except in view of bringing | themselves to the German authorities up children in comfort though not neces- every four weeks, and all "strangers" sarily in luxury. Racial damage would once a week. Neutrals may have one or Sir Walter Runciman said there was be at its worst when peace was declared, two days leave, but they are not allowed and the checking of the multiplication of time to come to England. An instance the unfit would never be more needed was given where a man took " French

> Dr. Spow, in the course of a discussion, Brussels, and was there confronted with said that if Dr. Hertz, of Germany, and a photograph of himself, taken on a boat Sir Oliver Lodge had fought and both by a German spybeen killed the discovery of wireless! A ten-cents coin shown to the inter-

STRIKING SEGGESTION BY LORD G. HAMILTON.

> Ho had, he said, seen the paper " Free Belgium." It consists of four pages about a foot square, and is published on an average about once a weak. Its contents give much encouragement to the

staying at Hyde.

Referring to the need for making good. The paper bears the announcement, the human wastage due to the war, he !! Printed in an automobile cellar, and pointed out that a large number of our the "telegraphic address" is given as kinsmen from over the see were un- !! German Commander,. Brussels." married, and he would like to see for Imprisonment without the option of a every shipload of them that came over a fine is the penalty inflicted by the shipload of ladies from this country to be Germans upon anyone discovered with copy of it. A copy of each issue is Major Leonard Darwin said that after delivered to the German commander.

Commodities sold in Brussels are would form an entirely undamaged section obtained from Holland, little or nothing of the community, and it would be of value to the population being sent from increasingly necessary for the next 20 Germany. On the other hand, things of years to inculcate w belief that where value produced in Belgium are sent into

Belgians of military age have to report leave." came to England, returned to

because of the Government requisition, telegraphy might have been delayed for viewer, and produced at Itille, is made out of a material very much like cardboard.

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To MORROW"the 23rd day of April is

not only St. George's Day; it is the

Tercentenary of the death of SHAKES-

PEARE, the most commanding figure

in the history of English" literature.

Yet while both these anniversaries in

many parts of the Empire will be

observed in one form or another, they

will pass, so far as Hongkong is

concerned, without any organised

effort whatever to celebrate them.

one letter of protest, but we do no

doubt that the views expressed by our

correspondent are shared by many

other Englishmen in the Colony

We may point out, however, that

so far as the observance of a

"Shakespeare Day," is ; concerned

for the observance, of the day by the

schools of the Empire on May 3rd,

which is described as "new style,

corresponding to April 23rd old style."

The Earl of Plymouth's Committee

has recommended that a discourse on

Shakespeare dwelling more particular-

ly on the significance of the day, the

poet's ideals of patriotism, and love of

his native country, should form a

prominent feature of the observance.

The singing of Shakespeare songs by

the pupils might precede and fellow

the discourse. The recitation, by the

pupils, of scenes or passages from the

plays, should, the Committee thinks,

be included in the programme. It is

curious, by the way, to note that the

German Shakespeare Society has

been making "great preparations" to

celebrate the anniversary. The

President of this Society is to read a

paper in which he will seek to prove

that Shakespeare is essentially a

German in his ideas and his concep-

tion of human affairs. Another Ger-

man Professor will evolve the theory

that if Shakespeare were alive now he

would be enthusiastically pro-German

performance of "Macbeth" is to be

promised to attend. We cannot

imagine which sort of a case can be

made out by the German professors

for their belief that were Shakespeare

still alive he would be pro-German.

He has bequeathed to Englishmen

many lines, appropriate to the times,

On on you noblest English

Whose blood is fet from fathers of war-

Fathers, that, like so mang. Alexanders,

Have, in these parts, from morn till even

And sheath'd their swords for lack of

Dishonour not your mothers; now attest.

Be copy now to men of grosser blood.

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.St. George's Day. 9 a.m.-Excursion to Macao by s.s. "Taisban".

General Memoranda.

MONDAY, April 24:-Public Holiday. Rifle Shooting at King's Park between Regular and Auxiliary Forces.

TURDAY, April 25 :-8 p.m. -Sale of Grown Land at P.W.D.

THURSDAY, April 27 :-Noon .- China Fire Insce. Co's. Meeting.

SATURDAY, April 29 :-Meon.—H.K. Jockey Club's Meeting.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

notification" in the Government Guzette increases the retail price of Kamshan and Hongkong Opium.

been appointed temporary Lightenant be vested in Tuan Ki Shuj. Colonel whilst in charge of a Stationary

A list of enemy firms which are being wound up in England, under the Finding with the Enemy Act is published is the Government Gazette.

Sergenne, G. W. Taylor, R.G.A. 26 Morrison Street, bemerly of the 83rd Company, Hong-Peking, on the 13th April, 1916, kong, and Legation (fuard, Feking, has received a commission for services in

> The Hon. Trensurer of the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals begs co-acknowledge with thanks a donation of \$5 to the funds of the Hospitals from Walker.

His Excellency the Governor has a Magistrate during the absence on leave of Mr. G. A. Woodcock or the Fort. until further notice.

Authorised Architects' Committee and machine guns of the Chai Kwan H. W. Bird or until further notice.

His Excellency the Governor has ported to be very heavy. been pleased to appoint Lieutenant F. J. Kinchin Smith, King's Own Shrop-We publish in another column to-day

GOOD FRIDAY ORATORIO.

AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

there is still time for a local observance St. John's Cathedral last night finished. which will bring the Colony into line was crowded, to hear the Good Friday with the rest of the Empire in the Oratorio, by an augmented choir of matter, because the Shakespeare about eighty voices. The numbers Tercentenary Committee have arranged

1.-Chorus-' Behold the Lamb of God "..... Handel. 2.-Chorus-' Surely He hath borne

3.-Solo-" Jerusalem! thou that , killest the prophets ". Mendelssohn. Mrs. J. Roughtson.

4.-Solo-" O God have mercy" Mendelssohn. Mr. H. E. Munic.

5.-Solo and Chorus-" Come ye children "... Sullivan. Miss I., WHITE,

6.-Duet-For so hath the Lord Himself commanded Mendelssohn Mrs. Owen and Mr. A. J. ENGLAND. 7 .- Solo and Chorus-The King of love my shepherd is ... Gounod: Mrs. W. J. Hill.

H .- Quartet-" God is a Spirit 'o' Sterndale-Bennett. Miss L. White. Mrs. Goldsmith. Mr. J. W. WHITE, Mr. C. E. H. BEAVIS. 9.-Solo and Chorus-" There is a

green hill "...Gounod. Mr. A. J. ENGLAND. 10.-Solo and Chorus-

" Hear my prayer " ... Mendelssohn Miss, WILKES. 11.—Quartet—' The long day closes Sullivan.

Mr. A. N. Bootes, Mr. J. W. WHITE, Mr. A. W. Armstrong, Mr. A. J. England. 12.-Organ Solo-" Requiem Acternam." Basil Harwood 13.—Soli and Chorus—!! Blest are the

departedSpohr. Miss L. WHITE, Mr. O. W. TUCKER, Mr. J. W. WHITE, Mr. C. E. H. BEAVIS The whole Oratorio was exceedingly well rendered. If we might single out for mention any particular number in the programme it would be to mention the success of Miss Wilkes in . Hear my prayer. She is a young soprano of great promise. The chorus work was of a very high order and evidenced the collecul training the choir had undergone under

the able organist of the Cathedral

the baton of Mr. Denman Fuller I URING the summer months children are subject to disorders of the howel. A collection was taken during the and should receive the most careful attensinking of the hymn. Hock of ages. tion. As soon as any matural looseness of the bowels is noticed Chamberlain a lobber the one of tracter, whether from Caung-Tholors and Distribute Remedy should be king, Luchow, Nachi or elsewhere. the proceeds to be divided by wear the Fund for Blind Soldiers and the Fund for Blind Sokiers and Districts Remedy should be king Luchow, the Republican Upstation Republican Republica

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SHANGRAL, April 20. The terms on which Yuan Snih Kai offers to resign the Presidency

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GENERAL LUVUS TROOPS TAKE KONGMOON:

Information reached Hongkong yesterday, that General Lung Chai Kwang | dramatists works, but if there lie any Maritime Customs Commissioner dispatched four gunboats, and six steam hunches conveying about 1,000 Chai brunce of this most famous of men and Kwan troops. They arrived at Kai, north of Kongmoon, at 6 p.m. on the 19th instant. They immediate at her doors. ly seized Serpent, Hill and shelled the National Defence troops which by that time had been augmented to a strength of about 4,000.

Fighting was continued until 11 a.m. of the 20th. The National Defence troops were totally defeated and the appointed Mr R. A. C. North to be East Fort was recaptured, but one of the hunches was sunk by the guns of

The Chai Kwan their marched upon. Kongmoon, where the National troops Mr. Arthur Turner has been had already piled up the street with appointed to be a Member of the stores as defence walls, but the shells during the absence on leave of Mr were too hot for them and they were compelled to retreat.

There has been no fighting in Sanhui

city and the seige is now lifted. shire Light Infantry, "to" be "his villages near Kongmoon suffered great Aide-de-Camp in addition to his military damage from shells find many people were killed by struy shots. A rice famine prevails everywhere in

that district and the merchants Hongkong (natives of Sanhui) are dispatching rice for their relief.

Fighting may be considered.

INTER-SERVICES SHOOT.

Prizes have been given by the Hon. Mr E. Shellim for the Winning and Second Teams and by the Hon. Mr E. H. Sharp K.C. for the best individual score at King's Park Range on Easter of a patch of wheat:

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr S. B. C. Ross returned from a holiday in Japan yesterday by the s.s

A number of Hongkong residents left by the P. & O. s.s. Ngaoya to-day, including Mr. C. J. Lafrentz and Mr.

DEARER SILK.

While silk fabrics appear to be as fashionable as ever, and a big demand for them is anticipated by drapers during the coming spring and summer, purchasers says, a London paper, will have to pay much more for these goods. Not for twenty-three years, with the single exception of 1907, when a phenomenal advance took place, have prices of

The advance has only taken place recently, and came with dramatic suddenness, for during the greater part of last year prices were comparatively nor-The reasons for the exceptional dearness of silk fabrics are many. First and most important is the fact that the world's crop of raw silk is very much below the average of recent years. Another factor is the enormously-increased demand for silk in the United States, while the great shortage of dye stuffs and the transport and labour troubles all exercise a considerable influence on

The imports into this country last year of silk manufactures of all descriptions. it may be noted, amounted in value to £14,412,741; or only £20,000 below the

22nd April 1916.

ST. GEORGE'S DAY.

(To the Editor of the " CHINA MAKE.

Sir,-It seems to have been assumed in certain quarters that in the stress of the present time there is no place for the celebration of National Festivals, It would appear, however, that our friends in the homeland are not going (1) That he himself shall not be to allow to pass unheeded the Tercentenary of the cleath of the immortal (2.) Immunity of the members of Shakespeace and to-day numbers of societies in England and elsewhere will celebrate the event. The works of the Bard of Avon are even now being performed the world over, not excluding Germany where his plays are welcomed Li Yuan Hung agrees to take the as a diversion from the sud thoughts Presidency provided that Yuan Shih which doubtless oppress the people of

Major A. McMunn, R.A.M.C., has that the control of the local troops George in this Colony with vigour equal to the Society of St. Andrew, doubtless there would have been some effort made worthy of the day, for President Wilson made it clear that ties. to-morrow (April 23rd) is St. George's Day as well as the day of the birth and death of William Shakespeare.

"It may be presumed that the prevail- duct ing humid and sultry weather militates against any public performance of the on receiving an argent request from the devotees of his din this Colony they might have called upon all fellow Englishmen to, at least, "wear the rose apon the day" as a token of rememfor "St. George and merric England" which we trust will soon emerge victorious from the conflict now waged

Yours etc.: "ENGLISHMAN".

THE SITUATION IN CHINA.

LOUTING BY NORTHERN. TROOPS AT NACHL

Some interesting particulars of the retaking of Nachi are related by a correspondent of the China Press, who wrote on March 23rd from Chengtu as follows:—In a letter describing the retreat of the Yunnanese written by a Red Cross worker who is a missionary much light is thrown on the event as well as on the character, of Tsao Kun's men. He says "the Yumnan boys made gallant stand." But the news, of, the fall of Suifu came and then "the real retreat began." Tsai "Ao himself there immediately before the end. The casualties on both sides are revisited the Red Cross missionaries. sured them of his gratitude for their

services and called at the hospital to see the sick and wounded. "The Yunnanese "left nothing of im- of submarines, carried a plain impliesportance for the Northerners except some trench tools, knurpsacks, etc. which they did not need." This is an interesting statement in view of the fact that the latter claimed a hig haul of military material. As all matter of fact northerners did not know of the retreat until next morning and "made no effort to follow the enemy. They were satisfied to rob and plunder and shoot down defenceless old men."

" "The populace literally poured out the city all afternoon and night of the retreat. And wherever doors were closed the northern soldiers felt at liberty to go in and take what they wanted. I saw an without the slightest colour or justifier old priest dead in a corner of his rooms, an,old carpenter shot down in an adjoining room, a younger man on the steps of the temple with eye gouged out and an ugly sabre thrust into the head, two poorcoolies on the street, a poor farmer fullen against the door of his thutched hut, and a cripple lying in his blood by the side

I saw another farmer shot through the abdomen and his wife through arm. All this was done when northerners entered Nachi Even ... Davey who had been detained on why down river was robbed on the street in broad day-light. And had not the foreigners been on the job all the time they would have slaughtered the wound-

ed in the hospital." From a letter written by another foreigner, it appears that Mr. W. Davey had done excellent work in helping to save the city and the people from their fury. Many of the Chinese regard him as the one who saved them. a good speaker of Chinese and having an intimate knowledge of native ways, he was well fitted to do this kindly sort of

Dr. Tompkins of the American Baptist Mission of Suifu, was the man in charge of the Red Cross work. He was indefatigable in his efforts to save his patients. First at Suifughe attended to 300 heavily wounded cases. Thereat Nachi he had 700 such pass through his hands. Yunnanese indeed were fortunate to have such an efficient man with them. Before the retreat all the wounded except 70 upon the warfare against freight and an ultimatum to Mr. Lloyd George,

were removed to Yungning. These figures are exact. They prove conclusively that the Yunnan casualties were fur below those of the northeners. A thousand wounded were treated in the raw silk ruled so high as they do at the Luchow Hospital, and they there did namely that the use of the submorine taking with him the leading Unionist present time.

A thousand wounded were treated in the namely that the use of the submorine taking with him the leading Unionist not get all the wounded. Dr Tompkins for the destruction of commerce is Ministers, Mr. Asquith must resign, but did. Probably the northern losses were incompatible with the principles of the Premier's support in the House double those of the Yunnanese. If not double then they must have been very nearly to an amount in a way or of the property of the propert At present the Yunnanese are stracking | batants.

the Government troops 80. li south of Suifu. Then they hold Kisngmen yet, the decision to break off relations a town south of Luchow and seven-cities unless Germany abandoned these between there and the border. Though methods of warfare. He said "I driven out of Suifu and Nachi they are arrived at this decision with the lively enough to keep the Government keenest regret, but we cannot forget troops on the jump.

fair to add, behave themselves. Their cannot remain silent while those conduct compared to Tsee Kun's followers rights seem in process of being swept is that of gentlemen. Where excesses utterly away in the maelstrom of occur it is not the fault as a rule of the this terrible war. With the utmost officers. Yet the Yuphanese behave bet solomnity and firmness I have taken ter than even the Governor's forces. All this stand, rolying on your approval testimony concurs in this. They gain the and the support of all sober-minded praise of the common people everywhere. Then, we must unite in hoping that Why Peking does not send strict orders Germany will recognise the justice to Tsao Kun to keep his soldiers in hand of our demands and meet them in the popularity until it has attained a world is a mystery. The stories in circulation, spirit in which they are minde. about them on the strusts here are all of

AMBRICA AND GERMANY

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

THE AMERICAN NOTE TO GERMANY.

CONGRESS,

WASHINGTON, April 19. President Wilson, addressing Congress, said that he had given Germany an irrevocable notification that stand alone. The United States had the United States would break gained the impression from a recent diplomatic negotiations if the illegal submarihe campaign were continued: The President did not ask Congress to take action, but simply informed it of the accumulation of facts proving that Germany's assurances ressels the United States will have no to the United States were being choice but to sever relations." renewed vigour, in contravention of ull the laws of nations and humanity. the continuance of friendly relations depends on Germany's future con-

The President's address was full of striking passages. He recalled the protest of the United States against Germany's proclamation of the submarine zone in 1915, on the ground that it was impossible to carry out the proclamation without grossly violating the law of nations as long established by the assent of all civilised nations.

"What this Government foresaw niust happen has happened. Trugedy followed trugedy upon the seas in such hishion and in such attendant circumstances as to make it grossly. evident that such warfare-if warfare it be-cannot be carried on without the most, palpable violation of the dictates alike of right and humanity. Whatever Germany's disposition or intention was, it manifestly proved impossible for her to keep to such , ingthods of attack on commerce within the bounds of reason or heart

The President referred to Germany's intinution in February, 1916, regarding armed merchantmen, and said the law of nations had long recognised the right of merchantmen to earry arms in self-Wills," defence. He added "Eyen the terms in which Germany announced her purpose further to relax the restmints she had previously professed her willingness and desire to put upon the operations tion that at least unarmed vessels would still be exempt from destruction without warning and personal safety accorded their passenger and crews, but ever that limitation constituted no cheek all upon the destruction of ships every sort. Great liners like the Lusitania and the Arabic, and mere ferry-boats like the Susses have been attacked without a moment's warning and the lives of non-combatants sucrificed wholesale in a manner which the United States cannot but regard as wanton, One of the latest and most shock-

ing instances was the destruction of the Sussex. Like the Lusitania it was so singularly tragical and unjustifiable as to constitute a truly terrible example of the inhumanity of submarine warfare, as conducted by the Germans. Recent events make the conclusion inevitable that 'the Sussex was only one instance of the spirit and method of warfare which Germany had mistakenly adopted, and which from the first exposed her to the reproach of thrusting all neutral rights uside in pursuit of her immediate object. The Government of the United States had been most patient and had hoped against hope that Germany would control the acts of her naval commanders in accordance with the principles of humanity; and had been willing to wait till the significance of the facts became absolutely unmistakable and were susceptible of but one interpretation. That point had now unhappily been ! reached. The facts were susceptible of but one interpretation. The Imperial German Government, was unable to put any limits of restraint passenger ships :- therefore it was with an indication that the bulk of the painfully evident that the position Cabinet are apprehensive of the national that the United States Government issues and are anxious for a settlement took at the very outset is inevitable. If Mr. Lloyd George should resign, humanity, the rights of neutrals and the sacred immunities of non-com President Wilson then announced

that we are the responsible spokes-But the Governor's men, it is only man of the rights of humanity. We

was cheered; by the Demicrate and tabers period of more than forty form House of Representatives

GERMAN OFFICIAL FALSEHOODS

Washington, April 19. The Note to Germany is very lengthy and is substantially covered by President Wilson's achiress to Congress. It says that as regards the Succe the information in possession of the United States establishes conclusively that the Succer was torpedoed without warning by a German submarine.

The Note adds :- "If the Summer were: an isolated case it might be possible to hope that the officer responsible had been negligent, or had disobeyed his orders, but amhappily this terrible example of submarine warfare does not communication that the Imperial Govimment had failed to appreciate the gravity of the situation."

It concludes .- "Unless Germany now immediately declares and effects the abundonment of her present submarine

violated and that the submarine An appendix discloses that Ameriwarfare was being conducted with can Army and Navy officers found in the Susses screw-bolts corresponding with those of German torpedoes in the possession of the French authori-

A further message says the Note intimates that the United States is ready to discuss how submarine warfaire may be conducted after Germany has declared her present mothods to be abandored

-No-time-is-specified-for-a-reply, but the State Department expects and answer before the end of the week.

" BERNSTORFF " VERY

PERTURBED." WASHINGTON, April 20. Count Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, is very perturbed, and in a lengthy communication to

ment to avoid a rupture. Count Bernstorff has conferred with

Berlin has recommended his Govern-

Mr Lansing apparently seeking for fur-He was coldly received and given to understand that America would not change her attitude until the reply"to

OPINION IN FINANCIAL CIRCLES

yesterday's Note is received.

LONDON, April 20. The Times' New York Corresponpondent states that high financial c'reles predict that there will be a break with Germany soon, but it is not believed that war will follow.

PARIS CONFERENCE.

INDIA WILL BE CONSULTED.

LONDON, April 19. In the House of Commons Mr Austen Chamberlain said the Raj had been informed of the scope of the Economic Conference at Paris, and had been assured that if, as a result of the Conference, any action should be contemplated, no step would be taken without full consultation with India, as with the Dominion Governments.

INDIAN LABOUR FOR BRITAIN.

· LONDON, April '19. Sir A. Markham raised the question of the use of Indian labour for munition and agricultural work in the United

Kingdom, so releasing Britons for the Mr Runeiman said that the Raj had already been communicated with regarding munition workers, and had replied that none could be spared, as they were all employed in India." He understood that there were serious social and linguistic difficulties in the way of the employment of Indian agriculturists'in

THE CABINET CRISIS.

PREMIER'S ULTIMATUM TO MR. LLOYD GEORGE.

LONDON, April 20. Members swarmed into the Lobby to discuss Mr. Asquith's speech, his announcement of the deadlock being the first official intimation of it, and he created a tremendous sensation.

It is considered that Mr. Asquith acted sagaciously in giving time for reflection in a precarious situation-Many Liberals regard his statement as

remains must formidable, because the Nationalists and Labourities and many Liberals seem strongly against Mr. Lloyd George

ENEMY BOMBERS DRIVEN OFF

LONDON, April 20, General Sir Douglas Haig reports-During the night the enemy attempted to bomb our posts in the craters in the Quarry sector. but were driven off. There was active shelling elsewhere.

THE FORTY YEAR TEST.

A. N article must have exceptional ment To answive for a period of forty-years. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was viceb offered to the public in 187 !. From a small beginning it his grown in favour and wide reputation. You will find nothing President Wilson's address to Congress you will understand why it is a favorite Republical upstanding It was reletted Chamberlein's Cough ? Remady not only

WAR. THE

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

(Rester's Service to the China Mail.)

ENEMY ATTACK AT YPRES.

BRITISH LINES PENETRATED."

ENEMY EJECTED EXCEPT AT TWO

The enemy last night, after a heavy

bomburdment attacked our line at Ypres

His infaultry penetrated our lines, but

"A hostife raid genr Mamitz failed to-

There has been mining actively in

our favour to-day about the quarries

DETAILS FROM MESOFOTAMIA

ENEMY'S RIEAVY LOSSES.

SOVER 3,000 TURKS KILLED,

relief of General Townshend.

TURKS MASSACRE GREEKS.

A telegram from Salonika reports

massieres on the 11th inst of Greeks at

ITALIANS BLOW UP A MOUNTAIN.

DESTROY ENEMY'S POSITION AND

1100 yards long under mount Sief, blew

SUBMARINE PIRACY.

DISTURBANCES IN DUTCH EAST

INDIES.

INQUIRY INTO GERMAN

CONSPIRACY.

. The Telegraaf states that ... the

Governor-General of the Dutch East

Indies is to preside over an inquiry

into the conduct of Germans named

Eglosstein and Kiel, formerly managers

of the Straits of Sunda Syndicate, who

are suspected of conspiracies against the

Government, and are said to have been

largely responsible for recent distur-

RECRUITING IN CANADA.

Since the beginning of the year

a total of 809,600.

OTTAWA, April 20;

AMSTERDAM, April 21.

Mount Ancora.

The crews were saved.

TAKE" 400 PRISONERS. w. .

Rome, April 20.

LONDON, April 21.

in the Massiere at Andrianople.

Loxoon, April 21.

LONDON, April 20.

south of Givenchy.

paratively small.

German officers.

was everywhere ejected except at Si

A British communique says ;-

LONDON, April 21

VERDUN.

FRENCH SUCCESSES.

TARE ENEMY POSITIONS AND MAXX PRISONERS.

Paris, April 20. The French have "made another

brilliant counter attack at Verdun. A mountaique says: -- We strongly attacked at dusk German positions north-west of Vanx and occupied

portions of the German line. " Eloi where he captured two craters and . We carried a fortified redoubt, inflicted pensains in one trench. serious losses on the emeny and took many prisoners, also machine guns and reach our trenches.

a quantity of war material. The French buttheries delivered concentrated fire on the enemy's communications in Woevre.

There were mining operations in Argonne in our favour.

The Germans west of the Meuse bombarded our second lines.

FRENCH REGAIN LOST TRENCHES

PARIS, April 24. . Today's communique says : We shelled the enemy com munications and Malancourt Woods is Argonne.

There has been greatartillery activity in the sectors Hill 304s Ayocourt, and westerof the Mensels

We attacked in the region of Moer-Hounne and drove the Paemy from the trenches occupied by him on the loth met.

There has been a violent bomburdment in the Donaumont-Vaux region cast of the Mease.

Elsewhere it has been quiet.

FURTHER PROGRESS.

⁹ PARIS, April 21. A communique says:

The French attacks have continued to much less than the mimber of Turprogress in the Deadman region. Many kish killed. more prisoners have been taken.

... The Germans at dusk, after a violent bonibardment, launched a powerful offensive on 'a front of two kilometres between Thiaumont Farm and Vaux Pond. The edemy got a footing southward of Ducannont Fort, northward of the Pond; but was complately driven out by night attacks. We took machine-guns and some nople:

We also, progressed westward of Donathout, liberating numbers " of "ounded Frenchmen.

RUSSIAN SOLDIERS IN FRANCE.

Paris, April 20. A picked Russian force arrived at months preparation digging a tunnel day's sitting. Marseilles to-day.

General Joffre in an order says up a large part of the mountain on the "I rejoice and welcome our faithful 18th inst., destroying most of the posiand gallant Allies who will fight beside | tion, occupying the remaining trenches the French on the Western Front. They and capturing 400 prisoners. are soldiers from Russia's bravest and are commanded by most renowned they captured the western peak of be published." officers."

· · Marseilles, April 21. The arrival of the Russians was marked by scenes of intense enthusiasm in France.

It is not yet known in what sector they will be used, but the Germans will certainly hear of their arrival with

There were evations at the incoming of The Dutch steamer Lodewyk van the troopships; guards of honour of Nassan has been sunk and five of the French cavalry and infantry, warships, črew drowned. and bands playing national anthem's.

French Generals and Officials wel-

Russian Progress.

Petrograd, April 21.

A communique says: In the course of the pursuit of the Turks in the coast region of the Caucasus a patrol ambushed and captured 200 belonging to a regiment recently sent from Constantinople, commanded by a German officer. The captures at Trebizond included bances in the Dutch East Indies. six-inch guns. The town was not

damaged and the population acclaimed the Russians." A series of mountainous Tarkish positions south of Bitlis have been captured by the Russians who are

advancing mathe direction of Sert.

QUESTION.

CABINET CRISIS ENDED.

THE COMPULSION

Loxbox, April 20. The Press Bureau announces that the Cabinet at a meeting to-day came to ar agreement upon the proposals which will make to Parliament on the subject of recruiting. The Egyernment's proposals will be submitted to secret sessions of both Houses of Parliament on Tuesday.

The Press Bureau announces that th settlement of the question which threatened -the brank-up of the Cabinet while meeting the demands of the mil tary situation, has satisfied allosections of opinion represented in the Govern-

at the Ypres-Langemarck road where he being obviously undesirables a

The Cabinet sat, for two hours, til two o'clock, before it reached a settlement with which Mr. Lloyd George declared that he was satisfied.

It is therefore assumed that absolute surrentler is not required by either side. The result of the Wimbledon bye-

election, which was declared at noon possibly contributed to the settlement. showing, as it did, that the opinion the country was fairly equally divided, The War Office has furnished to the with a bias in favour of the maintenance Press details of the fighting on the right of the Coalition.

bunk of the Tigris on the 16th inst., The decision to hold a secret session prior to the Turkish counterattacks, is unprecedented in modern times and which show that the Tuiks left 200 to accords with a suggestion made by the 300 dead in the captured positions. We I Labourites.

took 8 officers and 480 men prisoners | Apparently Farliament on Tuesday and captured two field guns and five will be able, for the first time, to con unchine guns. Our losses were come sider all the facts of the situation. The suggested terms of settlemen

An aeroplane, report says Tarkish involve general compulsion with ambulances were busy all, day removing suspensory clause that it shall not to ensualties after the enemy's country. applied so long as voluntary recruiting is satisfactory. THE GRAVITY OF THE SETUATION

Lord Lansdowne is greatly distressed at the gravity of the situation which ing to rediver the seized papers. would attend the Break-up of the Gov-The Turkish counter-attacks on ergment at the present time.

dhe Tigris on the 17th inst. cost the . The British total casualties was Asquith.

" of the House of Commons decided to chain some documents because they to a dangerous part of the trenches. Floods are still hampering the ask for a secret sitting of Parliament to would emplicate his intinates. discuss the recruiting question.

•THE NATURE OF THE COMPROMISE.

LONDON, April, 22. Political circles are most relieved! at the Cabinet settlement. The Adrianople, Smyrna and Constanti Turks and Bulgarians co-operated speculation.

The Italians at Coldebana, after three off the treatment to preside at Tues- wounded. He brought in ten badly

will meet under the usual conditions wounds. The buttalion to which he Speaker will order the exclusion of the Press. A communication regard . Afterwards, says the communique, ing the proceedings will afterwards

Mr. Bowerman, Secretary of the Trades Union Parliamentary Com mittee, is profoundly thankful for the

settlement. The British steamer Cairngowith, and It is generally agreed that the the barque Revenhill have been sunk. proposal adopted by the Cabinet was one made by Mr. Henderson, namely that General Compulsion should be adopted if six-weeks voluntary recruiting does not secure 15,000 men h week, which, it is understood, the military authorities declared to be necessary to the end of the year. Mr. Henderson meanwhile is exerting his acknowledged influence to

secure the adhesion of the Trades Unions to conditional compulsion There was apparently little difference between Mr. Henderson's compro mise and Mr. Lloyd George's proposed Bill, which the Daily Telegraph says was rejected by the Cabinet, but the Daily Mail says will be introduced next week. It will provide that compulsion will be enforced by resolution of Parliament when ever the yield of recruits falls below a certain total.

The Daily Muil adds that the Government contemplates the use of the Guilotine to secure the

compulsion of those reaching the age of 18, are the retention? of time-expired men with the colours; and the removal of restrictions on Territorials, enabling them to be drafted to other units; the combing out of the bachelors' reserved occupations, and

the embodiment of the attested married civil liabilities of the married men.

ment without a single resignation, thus restoring the confidence of the Allies and preserving the British tradition for practical commonsense. the other side acclaiming it a victory, The sole reason for the secret session for Mr. Lloyd George's persevenince, purade grounds, even in the centre of on Tuesday is to inform Parliament cons courage and hope in the Ministers, ticlentially of the main facts and figures who the further persuaded to cowhich the decision of the Govern- operate with him in other directions ment is based, publication of the data! where vigour, is needed to win the

WIMBLEDON BYE-ELECTION RESULT:

LONDON, April 20; The result of the bye-election Wimbledon was as follows:

GERMAN COMPIRACY IN AMERICA.

MORE INCRIMINATING "PAPERS SEIZED.

NEW YORK, April 20. The arrest on charges connected with the Welland Canal Plot, of Herr Igel, Secretary and Successor of Captain von Paper at the Embussy, has led to the seizure of papers incriminating the highest Germans in the country, including Embassy officials in the plot to blow up the canal and other dastardly con spiracies.

Count Bernstorff is trying to secure Igel's release on the ground of immunity and is also frantically endeavour-

Photographic copies of the correspondence seized at the time of Igel's A hundred Liberal members of the arrest have been forwarded to Washing" home." A song, "The Heather Hills," enemy over 3,000 dead, including House of Commons including Sir John ton in order; to afford Count Bernstorff

FOR BRAVERY."

V. C. FOR 'A BRAVE CHAPLAIN.

LONDON, April 21. The Victoria Cross has been awarded to the Rev. Edward conspicuous bravery during heavy all parties that the Government has repeatedly, when he went backat last admitted the desirability of wards and forwards under continuagiving Parliament the actual facts ous heavy shell and machine-gun in order to facilitate a final decision. fire between our original trenches The Speaker, who is taking "the and those captured from the enemy cure" at Bath, is expected to break in order to tend and rescue the wounded on the first day. Three were and then after Question Time, the is attached was relieved the second day but Mellish returned and brought in twelve more wounded. He took the night of the third day, and returned to the trenches to rescue the remaining wounded. His work was quite voluntary: Mellish was a curate at Deptlord before the war and served under Baden Powell during the Boer War. He returned She also paid the poet the compliment to England at the end of the war but again went to South Africa and occupied a position in a diamond The only other Victoria Cross

awarded to a chaplain was in the Afghan War in 1879. -

RUSSIANS CAPTURE HIGH MOUNTAINS.

PETROGRAD, April 20. A communique says :- The Russians west of Erzerum carried a strongly entrenched range of high mountains. Several hundred bodies were left on the field. Some Turkish detachments from Gallipoli were annihilated, and others were severely punished by rifle fire and

Charles Mackay, the Scottish poet who wrote "Cheer, Boys, Cheer," and who died in 1889, was among the prophets of the present war. He, Ay!" said the rubies, glowing red-

"There comes new life from life blood

But Right is Might for ever and aye." 102,500 men have been recruited in speedy passage of the Bill. Though nobody ever questioned Mac-Canada for Cverseas service, making According to some of the papers, the lays vitle as a patriotic scot, he was the Government proposals following the All

SCOTTISH LETTER.

(Fram Our Own Correspondent.)

ARMY TRAINING UP-TO-DUTE.

An experienced officer tells me that things are now moving fast in the armies under training. New men have brought new methods. There are hustlers' going men. An apportunity will be given to the unattested married men to voluntially attest, failing which there will be compulsion with State provision for the unattested married men to voluntially attest, failing which there will be is no slacking. He gets factics, strategy, trench warfare, musketry, map-making, Whatever the decision of the Cubinet, both sections of the Press interior economy, and esprit-de-corps, thumped into him every hour of his day. The training is not the jumbled-up business that it once was, "Courses" are satisfied, one side congrutulating are the order of the day. At these courses the young officer is handled firmly but kindly. Many of the instruc-

tors have smelt powder and shot. They know the business, and that is a great point. The young officer always gives a willing ear to the man who knows his job and the man who has been at the Front. This officer also informs me that there is no shortage of bombs or other material for practical instruction. Most our great cities, continually echo the crush of the grenade and the other wein! instruments of the new warfare. THE LATE PROPESSOR KNIGHT.

The death took place at Keswick of Professor, William Angus Knight, in his Sist year. A son of the manes and educated at Edinburgh, he entered the ministry and was placed at St. Enoch's Church, Dundee! His principal life work was done at St. Andrews, however, where he was Professor of Moral Philosophy and Political Economy from 1876 to 1902. He took up the University Extension question with great enthusiasm, and exploited it not only in the organisation of University lectures throughout the East of Scotland, but in the promotion of the scheme by which Dundee University College arose, to become ultimately, though not without difficulty, associated with St. Andrews University on a basis of mutual advantage to the two institutions, and with undouted benefits to the cause of higher education. He was also prominently associated with the introduction of the L.L.A. scheme by which St. Andrews led the way in the movement for the higher education of women in the Scottish Universities. A large number of books came from his pen, and, in recognition of his eminent services to English literature he was placed upon the Civil pension

SCOTS SONGS AT THE FRONT.

Miss Elisa:Loubert, who has been with Miss Lena Ashwell's concert party at the Front, gives a touching account of the effect of the singing of the "anid Scots sangs" upon the Scottish soldiers. Itswas a wonderful experience, she says, to find men in their enthusiasm calling for "Annie Lauric" and "The Bonnie Banks o' Loch Lomond," and joining softly in the rendering of the latter. Sometimes the men took her by the hand and were greatly affected. After one of the concerts a kiltie waited for her, and with tears in his eyes said. "Thank God, you've brought me near had been composed specially for the visit. Miss Loubert told of another Simon, have resolved to support Mr. an opportunity to identify the property impressive occasion when a thousand impressive occasion when a thousand Scots concluded the concert with a solemn and beautiful rendering of \$Lead, Kindly Light," and then went forward THE FOREIGN SECRETARY'S ECLIDAY.

Sir Edward Grey has arrived at somewhere in Scotland for a spring angling holiday. He is not, as on the last occasion, wearing blue glasses. A friend of mine tells me that he has given up his habit of reading in the train. His eyesight has greatly improved, but he is taking no risks. On his journey North-wards he talks columns of angling chat which would be worth a ransom to any terms are the subject of the widest Mellish, temporary chaplain, for stream is noted and commented on, and he can tell at what time of the year it is at its best. Sir Edward has a favourite There is general satisfaction among fighting on three consecutive days haunt in Sutherlandshire which for a few weeks in early spring gives ideal sport. I "once saw him whipping that stream; it had an alluring colour to one who knows how to wield the rod; and it is said that the right hop gentleman has more than once done an eight hours' day whipping its waters.

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, ROSYTEL" The Admiralty have accorded the status of a Commander-in-Chief to the Admiral Commanding the Court of Sout-It is understood that the House killed while he was dressing their land. His title will be "Commander in Chief, Rosyth,"—which, in effect, raises and then after Question Time, the is attached was relieved the second East Coast of Scotland has been even more important than the South Coast of England during the present war. Of late great numbers of workmen have charge, of a party of volunteers on arrived at Rosyth, and in a short time it will accommodate several thousands; all engaged in shipbuilding and repairing. CARMEN SYLVA AND ROBERT BURNS. "Curmen Sylva" was a devoted admirer

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In the Matter, of THE COMPANIES ORDINANCES, 1911 And 1913.

In the Matter of THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COM-PANY, LIMITED.

(IN LIQUIDATION).

Dursuance of Section 188 of the Companies Ordinance 1911 that the FINAL WINDING-UP MEETING of the above named Company will be held at the Offices of the Liquidators, St. George's Building, Chater Road, in the Colony of Hongkong, on MONDAY, 22nd May 1918 at Noon, for the purpose of having the account of the Liquidators showing the manner in which the And though the Goths o'er-ride the Property of the Company disposed of, Gaul,

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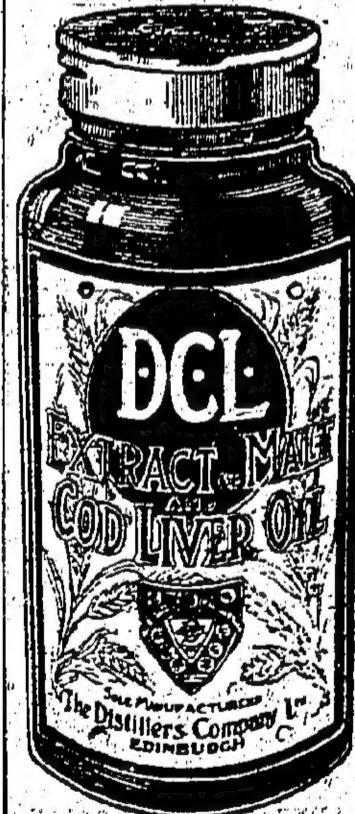
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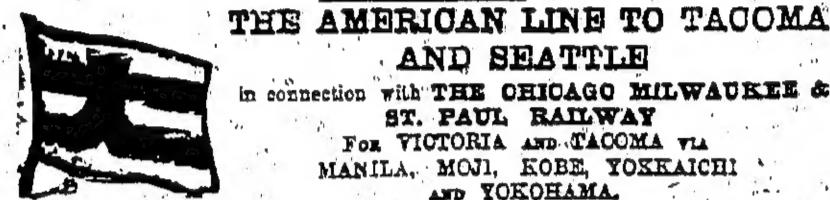
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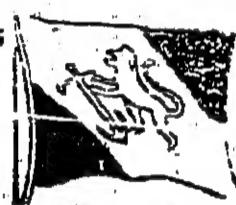
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THE Steamship

11 L.M. "

Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence and oc from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 26th April, will be subject to rest. All Claims against the Steamer must bo presented to the Undersigned on or before

the 3rd May, or they will not be re-All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 26th April, as

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, April 19, 1916.

TOTO KISEN KAISHA.

FROM "SAN FRANCISCO: vis HONOLULU, JAPAN PORTS and MANILA.

THE Steamship "PERSIA MARU,"

The above-named Steamer having arrived Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature, and to take immediate delive of Cargo from alongside. Cargo remaining undelivered on SATUR-DAY, 15th April, will be landed

at Consignees risk and exponse, and delivery must then be taken from the Company's Godown. Storage charges-will be assessed on all goods remaining. 23rd undelivered on THURSDAY, 20th April No :Fire, Insurance whatever will be

No Claims will be recognized after the Goods have left the Steamer or Godown.

All chafed and damaged Cargo will be landed into the Company's Godown, where they will be eramined on TUESDAT, 25th April, at 10 a.m.

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Hongkong, April 14, 1916,

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Alcohol is required for the purposes of the manufacture of high explosives, and probably the urgency which has been pressed is on secount of the limited amount of acetone which is available to experiences in the last of his series. meet the colossal expansion in ammunition output.

An authority on the subject explained to a " Pull Mail Cazetta" representative that the , chief spirit ased in the manufacture of cordite is sectore. After cotton waste has been thoroughly treated and nitrated, it is washed in water. Then it is mixed with vasaline and other articles, and the addition of acetone has the effect of dissolving the whole, and forming the cordite which is of high propulsive character and is used for big Shells and small arms ammunition.

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In has been found that grain spirit -- from the Fast has not been realised. Fo alcohol-when it has been atherised, has the same proporties of dissolving guncotton and other ingredients as acctone. and that it is particularly useful in the manufacture of cordite for small arms. The use of etherised alcohol, therefore, would release large quantities of acctone for the larger calibre ammunition.

The use of acetone-which caters into the composition of a large numbers of manufactured goods-has been restricted. so that with this further immense call upon nanalactured spirits, practically the lare actually starving there. The proposed whole output of acctone will be diverted offensive against Egypt is nothing but for hig gun purposes, WOOD PULP'S INFERIORITY.

The Germans, continued our informant. acetone or alcohol is used.

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has been a great success. The war stamp | . Rev. William Watson, of the Gallows affixable to letters for local or foreign gate United Free Church, Aberdeen, who places from Canada either by a special is back from the front on leave, said 1-cent stamp, an ordinary stamp, or a that while censoring soldiers' letters in France he came across the following:-

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St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon. Morning Prayer.

Hymn, 211; Mesponses, Festal; Psalms, As Sor (Special), Te Deum, Oakeley, 15th Evening : Jubilate, Crotch Hydris, 200, 243, 207; Kyrie, Mendeksohn. National Anthem. Evening Prayer.

Hymn, 210. (1st 2 and last 2 verses); Persyrinms; Magnificut, Smart, 22nd | Seamen's Mess Utensils, Oak Staves, Evening; Nune Dimittis, Felton: Hymies, 208---208 (tune 409 A., & M). 200: Kyrie, Mendelssohn. National

Holy Communion at 8 a.m., 11 a.m. and

Union Church, Kennedy Read. Morning if gam.: "Anthem: "What are These ?" Stainer; Hymns, 77, 541, 80, 330; Subject: "Seeing and Be-

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St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road.

Mass and Sermon at 10 a.m. followed by the Benediction of the Blessed

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Per N. Y. Kass. Kamo Maru. From Guanhuatchan London March 11. — To Hongkong, Rev.
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H. L. Blewchamp, Mrs E. A. Packman,
Miss E. C. McMordie, Miss C. A. M.
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Kwongyuenhang Kirk, Mrs Noble, Miss W. Watney, Miss W. Burlinson, Miss B. N. Lagus, Miss A. Hoare, Miss G. Fisher, Mr and Mrs W. R. Brown and 2 children, Miss S. Harvey.

Ourtis and 2 children, Mrs Martin and 2 children, Mr W. M. Black, To Shanghai, Miss M. N. Cordner, Mr and Mrs Alexander, Mr Livesey.

Fer N. Y. K. s.s. Katori Maru. From London Mar. 22 .- To Hongkong, Mr Hatt, Dr Sanders, Mr , G. O. Oswald, Miss Aitken, Mr and Mrs Holland and Schildren. Joi, R. R. Campbell, Miss Atkinson. To Shanghai, Miss Holland, Mr and Mrs Milne, Mrs Hughes and 2 children, Miss Smith, Miss Phillips, Mr and Mrs Starling and 2 children, Mrs D. and Master Clark, Mrs A. Holgate, Miss Golding.

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